Locality	Kind	Length	Girth	C.ft.	Kept in the custody of
(3) Near Kanivemane in Korlehalli District Forest, Shikarpur Taluk.	Teak poles	4' [illegible]	[illegible]'—7"	1'—0"	Patel Jamal Sab of Harogoppa.
	,, ..	6'—0"	1' 7"	1'—0"	
	,, ..	6'-10	1'—8"	1'—0"	
	,, ..	6'—8"	1' 10"	1'—0"	
	,, ..	7' -8	1' 10"	2'—0"	
	,, ..	6' 10"	1'	1'—0"	
	,, ..	7'—2'	1' 2"	1'—0"	
	,, ..	6'-10	1'-10"	1'—0"	
	,, ..	6'-10"	1'—8"	1'—0"	
	.. ..	6'-10"	2'—6"	2'—0"	
	,, ..	7'—6"	1'—7"	1'—0"	
	,, ..	7' 1"	1'—7"	1'—0"	
	.. ..	7' 7"	1'—6"	1'—0"	
	.. ..	7' [illegible]	1'—7"	1'—0"	
	.. ..	7' 4"	2' 0"	2'—0"	
	.. ..	6' [illegible]	[illegible]	2' [illegible]	
	.. ..	17' 3"	[illegible]	2' 0"	
	.. ..	15' [illegible]	[illegible]	2'—0"	
	.. ..	19' [illegible]	1' 10"	4'—0"	
	.. ..	14' [illegible]	1'-7	2'-0	
	,, ..	7'—0"	1'—7"	1'—0"	
	,, ..	8'-0"	1'—5"	1'—0"	
[illegible]	22			35'—0"	

N VENKATARAMAIYA,
District Forest Officer.

KADUR FOREST DIVISION.

Notification.

It is hereby notified for the information of the public that the [illegible] of Wood obtained from the dulsu marked trees in the Ghat Forests of the Mudigere Range for the year 1939-41, will be sold by public auction at the District Forest Officer, Kadur Division, or the Range Forest Officer, as noted below. The sale will be subject to the confirmation of the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, or the District Forest Officer as the case may be.

Particulars	Place	Place of sale	Date of sale	Remarks
Dropping and delivering Wood On Road marked trees	1. Bale State Forest 2. South Bhadra Forest	Range Forest Officer, Mudigere.	23rd October 1939	Only [illegible] and previously marked trees to be felled.

1. Defaulters on account of previous leases shall not be permitted to bid.

2. No person will be allowed to bid unless he produces a certificate from the Amildar of the Taluk in which he resides in regard to his solvency and [illegible] and 2 of the above sale conditions and deposits with the officer conducting the sale cash or currency notes. The deposit amount of unsuccessful bidders will be duly returned immediately after the close of the sale.

3. The successful bidder shall immediately after the close of the sale, credit in the Taluk Treasury one-quarter of the sale amount with local, education and rural cesses at one anna six pies and one anna two pies, respectively, in the rupee on the full sale amount exclusive of Rs. 10 already deposited. In default, the deposit will be forfeited to Government and a resale will be held at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, who will be liable for any loss that may occur, but shall not participate in the surplus, if any, to be realised.

4. Within fifteen days of the intimation of the sale having been confirmed, the successful bidder shall pay up the balance of three-fourths sale amount to the Treasury or Range and shall also execute a *Mutchalika* on a suitable stamped paper and shall furnish a cash security for Rs. 500 or one-fourth of the sale amount, whichever is less, which shall be deposited in the Government Savings Bank in the name of the

purchaser, but duly pledged to the District Forest Officer, failing which the amount already paid shall be forfeited to the Government and a resale held as above.

5. In case the purchaser happens to be a resident outside the State, the full purchase money with cesses should be paid at the conclusion of the sale, failing which the produce will be immediately resold at his risk, forfeiting the initial deposit.

Other Conditions.

(*i*) The lessee or his employees shall not damage the standing trees or other produce in the course of removal.

(*ii*) The lessee shall not sublet the lease without the written permission of the District Forest Officer.

(*iii*) The lessee shall remove the produce before the end of June 1941 and anything left unremoved thereafter shall remain at the disposal of the department.

(*iv*) The lessee shall hold himself responsible for any fire that may be caused by negligence by himself or his watchmen and shall render all assistance in putting it out.

(*v*) The lessee or his watchmen shall not enter the State Forests either before sunrise or after sunset.

(*vi*) The lessee shall be bound to maintain accounts of the removal of these produce and to render them to the Range Officer, every month during the course of operation.

(*vii*) The produce shall not be removed without being covered by a passport issued by the Forest Range Officer.

(*viii*) In the event of breach of any of these conditions, the lease will be cancelled and the security already furnished forfeited in whole or in part at the discretion of the District Forest Officer, whose orders will be final.

Note.—Interest at 6¼ per cent per annum will be levied on all arrears of amounts which are permitted to be paid after the due date.

Notification dated 15th September 1939.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of collecting and removing the canes in the forests of Koppa Range, for two years ending 30th June 1941, subject to the exercise of the rights of the villagers, will be sold by the respective Range Officer as shown below :—

Name of Taluk.	*Place of sale.*	*Date of sale.*
(1) Koppa.	Koppa (Travellers' Bungalow).	25th October 1939.

1. The sale will commence at 2 P.M. on the date of sale.

2. Defaulters on account of previous leases will not be permitted to bid.

3. The intending bidders have to deposit Rs. 25 as earnest money with the sale conducting officer, before they are allowed to bid in the sale, and the earnest money so deposited will be returned soon after the close of the sale, except that of the successful bidder in whose case the amount will be remitted to the treasury by the sale conducting officer towards one-fourth of the sale amount.

4. The collection period shall extend till the end of June 1941.

5. The successful bidder shall, immediately after the sale, pay one-fourth of the sale amount together with local cess at one anna per rupee, railway cess at six pies in the rupee and education cess at six pies in the rupee on the entire amount of sale. In default, the right will be resold at his risk. If the deficit amount is not paid, it will be recovered as arrears of land revenue.

6. Within fifteen days of the information of the confirmation of the sale, the accepted bidder shall pay the balance of lease amount in full and enter into an agreement on a duly stamped paper binding himself to the conditions specified hereunder.

7. The sale is subject to the confirmation by the District Forest Officer or the Conservator of Forests as the case may be.

8. The lessee shall deposit a sum of Rs. 50 for the fulfilment of the conditions of the contract in the shape of Government Savings Bank Deposit.

9. The collection period lasts for two years from 1st July 1939 to 30th June 1941.

Conditions.

(1) Canes should be extracted without injuring the roots of the clump. Tender canes should, under no circumstances, be extracted.

(2) At least three shoots in a clump should be left to foster the growth of the cane.

(3) The purchaser, his agents or servants shall not injure any tree or other forest produce in the way of collecting canes.

(4) The purchaser shall be held responsible for the acts of his agents or servants in the business of collection.

(5) The purchaser shall not sublet the contract without permission from the District Forest Officer.

(6) Coolies employed by the purchaser must take permits from the Range Officer, when they enter the State Forest or reserved lands for the collection of the produce.

(7) The produce should be removed from the limits of the taluk before the 30th June 1941.

(8) The purchaser shall be held personally responsible for the occurrence of any fire in the State Forest, if there is sufficient ground for the department to learn that it has been caused by his negligence or by the act of his employees.

In the event of the breach of any of the conditions specified above, the sale is liable to be cancelled, all the produce collected shall be confiscated and a fine not exceeding Rs. 25 in each case shall be imposed by the District Forest Officer.

Note.—Interest at 6¼ per cent per annum will be levied on all arrears of amounts which arepermitted to be paid after the due date.

Notification dated 15th September 1939.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting the Cinnamon leaves for distilling oil in all Government unoccupied lands, Amrit Mahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserved Lands and Plantations, during the years 1939-41, will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer or any other officer deputed by him for the purpose on the dates and at the places noted below :—

Name of Division	Name of Range or Taluk comprised	Place of sale	Date of sale
Kadur Division ..	Mudgere Taluk ..	Range Office, Mudgere ..	23rd October 1939.
	Koppa Taluk ..	Koppa Town Musafirkhana ..	25th October 1939.

Note.—The acution will commence at 2 P.M. Defaulters on account of previous leases will not be permitted to bid.

1. Each bidder, before he is permitted to bid, should furnish to the sale conducting officer a solvency certificate from the Amildar of the Taluk in the form prescribed by Government in regard to his solvency and its extent and deposit a sum of Rs. 50 as earnest money with the sale conducting officer; the deposit will be returnable to him at the close of the sale if his bid is not accepted. The person whose bid is accepted shall, immediately after the close of the sale, pay 25 per cent of the bid amount including the deposit already paid together with the local cess at Re. 0-1-0, education cess at Re. 0-0-6 and railway cess at Re. 0-0-6 per ruppe on the entire sale amount, failing which the right will be resold at the risk of the defaulting bidder. He will be liable for the loss, if any, that may result by such resale which will be recoverable from him as arrears of land revenue, but he shall not participate in any gain.

2. Power is reserved to the District Forest Officer or such other officer conducting the sale as may be deputed by the former to accept or reject any bid without assigning any reason therefor.

3. Within a week from the date of intimation of the confirmation of the sale, the person whose bid is accepted shall deposit a sum of Rs. 50 (fifty) or one-fourth of the sale amount, whichever is less for each taluk as security deposit towards the due fulfilment of the contract. This will be in the shape of Savings Bank Deposit pledged to the District Forest Officer. He shall also pay the remaining 75 per cent of the sale amount due by him in three equal instalments, one-third after the confirmation of the sale and the balance on 1st April 1940 and 1st September 1940 and shall execute an agreement on a stamped paper of proper value (procured at his cost) accepting the above terms and those specified below, failing which the amount already paid will be forfeited to Government and the right resold at his risk as noted in para 1 *supra*. The security deposit or the balance thereof as may remain over shall be repayable to the contractor on his producing proof, relieving him of his liability under the contract.

4. The following are the further conditions to which the contractor should bind himself :—

(*a*) That he shall not sublet the contract to anybody except with the written sanction of the District Forest Officer.

(*b*) That he shall abide by the rules of the Department as regards the kindling of fires and shall hold himself responsible for any forest offences committed by his agents, employees and workmen. He shall hold himself responsible for any forest offences committed by his agents, employees or workmen.

(*c*) That no operations shall take place in the Forest after sunset or before sunrise.

(*d*) That the cutting of leaves shall be done by the hand and not by bill hooks.

(*e*) That no [illegible] shall be opened in the Reserve.

(*f*) That the site of the first block shall not be changed without previous permission of the Range Officer in any other plot during the working season.

(*g*) That the required quantity of leaves cut and removed on prepaid licenses only from the plot selected and marked by the Range Officer.

(*h*) That no damage will be caused to the trees while collecting the leaves. Any such damage will be assessed by the Range Officer subject to the approval of the District Forest Officer. The District Forest Officer's decision in the assessment of damages will be final and the assessed damages will be recovered from the security deposit of the contractor.

(*i*) That for breach of any or all of the conditions of the contract by the contractor or his agents, employees or workmen, the contract shall be null and void at the option of the District Forest Officer and that the latter may, after issuing to the contractor a notice of cancellation of contract, enforce forfeiture of all or any part of deposit and resell the right or work it departmentally at the risk of the contractor as in clause (1) *supra*.

If the deposit or part thereof is so forfeited, it shall be immediately made good by by the contractor.

Note.—Interest at 6¼ per cent per annum will be levied on all arrears of amounts which are permitted to be paid after the due date.

B. T. THIMMARAYAPPA,
District Forest Officer.

CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

Notification dated 19th September 1939.

Tenders are invited for the annual clearing of the demarcation lines of the following Forests of the Divisions, during the year 1939-40 upto 2 P.M. on Wednesday the 11th October 1939.

2. Tenders should be submitted in the form given below showing the rates per mile at which the lines will be cleared and debris burnt separately for each Range.

3. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 25 in Government Currency notes as earnest money and must be sealed and superscribed as "Tender for the annual clearing of the Demarcation lines of the Forests in the Chitaldrug District," failing which it will be rejected.

4. Final acceptance or otherwise of the tender will rest with the Conservator of Forests, Shimoga, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any other tender without assigning any reason therefor.

5. Within eight days of the receipt of the order of acceptance of the tender, the successful tenderer will be required to execute an agreement on a stamp paper of proper value, failing which his offer will be cancelled and the earnest money forfeited.

6. The earnest money of the successful tenderers will be retained as security deposit for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the agreement and returned in whole or in part, as the case may be, after the termination of the period of contract and that of others returned after the results of the tenders are announced.

7. The tenderer must quote specific rates per mile for each Forest and no approximate rates will be accepted.

Further Conditions.

(*a*) The standard width of all the demarcation lines is generally, 66 feet unless otherwise stated and of the enclosures 33 feet. This width should be maintained and any deviation guarded against by clearing 10 ft. guide line on either side of the line leaving an intervening space of 46 feet. All grass and regrowth must be cut level with the ground and the debris removed and heaped in the middle of the line. The guide lines must not be burnt but should be kept clear of all inflammable materials by sweeping. The space between the two guide lines must be cleared and burnt under the supervision of the local Range Officers.

(*b*) By the 15th December 1939, the clearing of the two 10 feet guide lines and the intervening space should be completed and burning completed by the 31st January 1940. On no account should the burning be done after that date.

(*c*) During the course of the operation (from beginning to end) the contractor shall be guided by the Range Officer in charge of the Range and he will be held personally responsible for all acts of himself and his men against the rules of the Department. The security furnished by him is liable to be forfeited in whole or in part, as the case may be, for the breach of any of the conditions of agreement or acts committed in contravention of the rules besides taking action departmentally.

(*d*) Payment will be made only on bills passed by the Range Officer after the full length of each Forest is cleared and burnt as per rules and no payment will be made for lines partly cleared.

The tender should be in the following form :—

Name of Range	Name of Forest	Length of the line	Rate per mile	Amount
		Ml. F.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
Holalkere ..	Nirthadi	44 4		
	Devargudda	36 6		
	Gargakaval (Exterior)	8 6		
	Do (Ring line)	0 5		
	Bevinahalli (Exterior)	16 0		
	Jankal (do)	33 0		
	Do (Ring line)	15 3		
	Malebennur (Exterior)	16 0		
	Do (Ring line)	3 0		
	Arkere (A. and B.) blocks (Exterior) ..	3 0		